

Forest Green School: School Council Meeting

March 12, 2024 @ 6:30 PM, in-person

Attendees

Leah Andrews (Principal), Miranda Niebergall (Assistant Principal), Nicole Beliveau (Library Tech and Secretary), Aileen Wagner (Trustee), Keri Labrenz, Cindy Owles, Sarah Kaufmann.

Minutes

1.0 Call to Order: by Keri Labrenz at 6:36 pm

2.0 Approval of the Agenda

- Motioned by Cindy Owles
- Seconded by Sarah Kaufmann

2.1 Adoption of Feb 2023 minutes

- Moved by Sarah Kaufmann
- Seconded by Motioned by Cindy Owles

2.2 Welcome and Introductions Welcoming Aileen Wagner filling in for Paul McCann while he is away.

3.0 Teacher Report

- Mrs. Moen & Mrs. Moreau features a grade 2 literacy slideshow.
- Students demonstrate 3 literacy methodologies : Phonemic awareness instruction , small group intervention , and daily 5 centers.

4.0 Chair's Report

- COSC Meeting takes place March 12, 2024
- School Council is looking for input from administrators on what to do with the 500 Grant for Alberta School Engagement
- School council is inquiring how to access the funds from the board to send a representative to ASCA.

5.0 Fundraising report

- Purdy's fundraiser is complete. Some profits are reported.
- Spring Craft Market (June) including art walk , silent auction of a piece from each classroom, outdoor classroom grade opening, a vendor market in the gym will take place.
- Wilhawk Beef Jerky fundraiser coming up.
- School Supplies fundraiser to take place in June and summer months
- AGM is next month all positions are available
- Future plans to support grade 6 camp with hotdog fundraisers.

6.0 Principal's Report

- New staff introductions
- Important dates coming up include: Family Connection afternoon, Wear Green Day, Book Fair, and family style spaghetti lunch to name a few!
- Prescott Learning Center invites All parents of students in PSD to attend an online safety workshop offered by the RCMP: April 3, 2024 @ 7:00 p.m.

- "I wish" - admin requests feedback and input from school council regarding how we can continue to work toward our 4 priorities for the year.
- Parent council appreciates the effort into planning cultural events.
- Leah suggests developing a grade level, cultural or land based activity for each grade.
- Suggestions from parents: Make moccasins, brain-tan a large hide...
- 2 grants were applied for with hopes of funding outdoor winter equipment such as helmets, unfortunately Forest Green was not awarded those funds.
- A \$1000 donation remains unspent. Can these funds be used to purchase helmets instead? Approved by everyone.

7.0 Board Report

- Woodhaven Delegation School featured staff and students promoting Woodhaven Performing Arts.
- Trustees approved the recommendation that put forth Isabela Ramos from Graminia as PSD's Edwin Parr Award nominee for this year.
- Trustees approved the nomination of the Rotary Club of Spruce Grove Community Partners Society for the Friends of Education Award, in acknowledgement of their brown bag lunch program.
- The Board approved the 2024-2025 Fees and Allowances schedule.
- Trustees approved the Three-Year Capital Plan (2024-2027) submission. The plan serves as the Board's ranked priority list that is submitted to Alberta Infrastructure for consideration when it comes to funding future capital projects.
- Funds to replace SGCHS was not awarded this year.
- Advocacy Update - The Board will write to the Ministers of Education and Infrastructure to determine what is required of the division in the coming year, as the replacement school remains the top priority in PSD's Capital Plan.
- Stakeholder engagement report reflected interesting results. The results can be viewed on the PSD website.
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8.0 Adjournment: at 7:40pm

Next meeting is April 9 @ 1:30 PM the Learning Commons

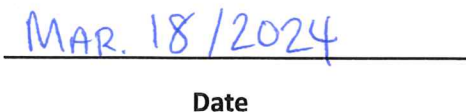
Approval of Meeting Minute:



 Chairperson



 School Principal



 Date



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